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MAILSTOP PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): CORRELATING VIDEO IMAGES OF LIP MOVEMENTS WITH
AUDIO SIGNALS TO IMPROVE SPEECH RECOGNITION

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- ☒ 18 pages of Specification/Claims 1-15/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-2; 2 sheets) are attached.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to _____ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 36 reference(s).
- ☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed _____. --
- ☐ Priority of foreign application No. _____ filed _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

☒ Priority of U.S. Provisional Application Nos. 60/409,956 filed September 12, 2002 and 60/446,816 filed February 10, 2002 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

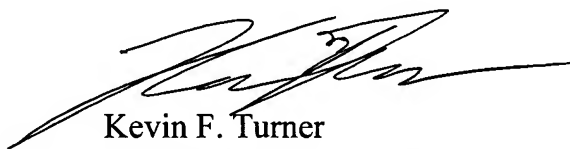
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